



Thomas P. Hoyt

May 27, 1958 - September 3, 2022

Thomas P. Hoyt, 64, of Hudson, NH, passed away peacefully at the Southern New Hampshire Medical Center on September 3, 2022 after a long illness.

Tom was born in Portsmouth, NH to the late Thomas J. and M. Claire Hoyt (McCann). He was predeceased by his brother Alan Hoyt.

Tom graduated from Andover High School and Southern New Hampshire University. He had a successful career as a Validation/Test Engineer spending most of that career at Hewlett-Packard (formerly Digital Equipment Corp) and later years at Draeger Medical Systems Inc. in Andover, MA.

People were drawn to Tom's quiet, unassuming personality and quick wit, evident by the many friends he had and kept throughout his life. For many years Tom hosted great gatherings at the houses he rented in Salisbury and Seabrook, NH. He enjoyed fishing, riding his motorcycle, and watching Patriots football.

He is survived by his loving wife Kate Hoyt (McHale), his sister Donna Gregory and husband David of Litchfield, NH, stepson Brian Dymont and wife Lisa of Pittsboro, NC, stepdaughter Patti Rourke and husband Chris of Pittsboro, NC, and brother-in-law Russell McHale of Bear Creek, NC. Tom is also survived by niece Jessica Hoyt, grandchildren Ryan and Cory Rourke, and Brooke and Evan Dymont, many loving cousins and countless friends.

Visiting hours will be held on Sunday, September 18th from 12:00pm noon - 2:00pm with a Service of Remembrance beginning at 2:00pm in the Dumont-Sullivan Funeral Home, 50 Ferry St., Hudson, NH. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in Tom's memory to StandUp2Cancer at www.standuptocancer.org or Dana-Farber Cancer Institute at www.dana-farber.org to help support cancer research.

Previous Events

VISITING HOURS

SEP 18. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Dumont-Sullivan Funeral Home Hudson, NH
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Hudson, NH 03051
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SERVICE OF REMEMBRANCE

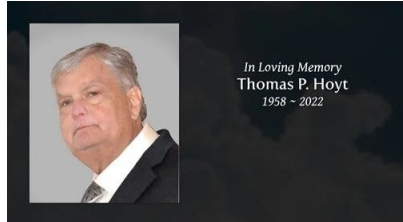
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Tribute Wall



“ Dumont-Sullivan Funeral Homes & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Thomas P. Hoyt



Dumont-Sullivan Funeral Homes - September 12, 2022 at 10:45 AM

PV

Tom, you are such a kind and sweet teddy bear! So grateful for our friendship. You are missed so much already... until we meet again, many hugs 🤗🙏🥰

Pam Vezina - September 16, 2022 at 01:23 PM

DB

Tom treated me very good growing up, Tom and Allen an important part of Topping road and the hood, The names came up recently and was thinking of the Hoyt family, RIP Tom thank you for the kindness

DANIEL BORRELLI - September 21, 2022 at 04:01 AM

MB

Yo Tom, I heard of your passing, the world lost a great guy. Thanks for all the memories when we were younger. always loved your meticulous care of your truck and SS, they were beauties. We had some great times at the V and doing some deep sea fishing. I know you haven't worn it in a while but your 'stache was epic! Reminded me of the SNL skit with Da Bears...We will miss you Yo, till we meet again! To Kate and Tom's family my condolences Tom was a special guy. sincerely Mike & Wanda Becotte

Mike Becotte - September 30, 2022 at 01:43 AM



“ *Thomas P. Hoyt*

October 06, 2023 at 08:13 AM



“ *Thomas P. Hoyt*

September 27, 2023 at 04:05 AM



“ *Big guy! TOM- Truly an incredible friend of our family. I remember you and Kate always being there for all of life's big milestones (literally since birth) as well as all the everyday things like football Sundays, hanging at Roy drive, and New Year's Eve traditions with lots of Chinese food. I have so many fond memories of your kind smile and I can still hear your laugh when I think of you!*

Thank you for always being around and for being such a dear friend to my father. You always made good use of the other living room recliner :)

We will miss you big guy. Rest peacefully and I hope we meet again someday, someday! XOXO

Ashley Laurie - September 24, 2022 at 10:17 PM



“ *So many great memories. DEC, Patriots games/championships, Red Sox games, Lake Ontario, West Grand, the mouth of the Merrimac, fishing, ice fishing. Our girls consider you "uncle" to this day. The people and places that you made special. Go forth with confidence big guy, you're a good man. Rest peacefully knowing you are loved.*

Paul Libitz - September 23, 2022 at 04:21 PM

“ I didn’t grow up with Tom and I don’t remember where I first met him but it was early in 1975 when he was still in high school. He was one of my first friends in Andover. He had a circle of friends; friendships that continued to this day.

Tom graduated high school in 1976 and the first order of business was to find a summer job. I don’t recall if Tom first worked at Lincoln Foods in Lawrence but I know he and Joe Briggs worked on the Garabedian farm across from my house on Blanchard St. Imagine 2 skinny white boys out in the hot sun picking vegetables for \$1.50 an hour.

I took a job at Digital Equipment in December 1975. They were hiring like crazy in New Hampshire. In the summer of 1976 I had come home from work one day and saw Tom and Joe working in the field. I walked over and told these guys they should apply at Digital. Tom took my advice and that was the beginning of the many years he worked there.

At Digital Tom’s circle of friends grew larger. He became the unofficial uncle to some of the children of his work friends. He loved Patriots football and attended many Patriots watch parties with the Digital gang.

Tom met Kate, his love and partner, at Digital. Many of us were at their wedding...and IT WAS ABOUT TIME. Kate’s family became Tom’s, treating them like his own. Tom and Kate took many road trips to North Carolina to visit...although there was always disagreement on which route to take.

Tom and I did some traveling together. We skied and snowshoed in Vermont. We drove to Virginia Beach to visit my brother Nick who was stationed there in the Navy. There’s an “Old Time” gangster photo of that trip in the video.

The BIG trip we took was in 1979, flying out to my uncle’s place in

San Diego. Our plan was to borrow my uncle's car to travel up the coast to San Francisco. We actually drove to Las Vegas, Reno, Puget Sound to visit Tom's aunt and uncle, and then down the coast back to San Diego. We saw George Carlin in Reno, the redwood forest, San Francisco, and Disney and Universal Studios...check out Tom lifting the Chevy pickup truck at Universal Studios in the video.

We took a motorhome trip to the Keystone National Drag Races in Reading, PA with my brother Nick and Mark Lambert. Mark had the blender going before we hit Rte. 495. On that trip we found what we believe to be the only BYOB "gentlemen's" club.

Tom was an usher at our wedding, was at our daughter Chelsea's baptism, and was always first on the list when a party was in order. Tom and Kate were at my 40th birthday party. I don't know how many times Tom was an usher or best man in many of his friend's weddings.

He was there for me when my dad passed and for Denise when her mom and dad passed. I'm sure he did the same for many. We were there for him when his dad, mom, and brother passed.

Over the years we got together less frequently but always stayed in touch. Tom, Kate, Denise and I would get together for dinner, usually Mexican. He loved his Queso.

When Tom told me about his cancer diagnosis, I was blown away. How could this be? This is one of the good guys. Tom fought hard but I think he understood where this would take him. His body's weakness from the stuff that was expected to help left him vulnerable and took him much too quickly.

I think of Tom every day. He was one of those people that touch your life in a most positive way. He was decent and kind to everyone, there when you needed him, and just someone to call, shoot the breeze, and have a laugh with. A true friend that we were

all blessed to have.

Rest in Peace Big Guy.

David Pathiakis - September 22, 2022 at 12:51 PM

DM

“ Dear Donna...Growing up in Andover my family and I were fortunate to have you and your family for neighbors. We have fond memories of your parents, Tom, and Alan. Tom was always quiet and unassuming and he kind of let Alan run the show but was always there to be supportive. I remember when your parents let --let being the operative word!--Tom and Alan dig up the whole side yard for a miniature golf course that the whole neighborhood enjoyed --it was wonderful. Donna you and your family and Tom's family are in our thoughts and prayers and we know Tom is happy seeing Mom, Dad and Alan again. Sincerely Donna Mailloux

Donna Mailloux - September 16, 2022 at 11:18 AM

SL

“ Tom, aka the big guy, was one of my dad's oldest and kindest friends. For as long as I can remember, Tom was one of the most positive and supportive people in my life. He showed up to every family function and milestone and let me know how proud he was of me. He was family. I loved him very much and he will be missed every day. 💔

Stacy Libitz - September 13, 2022 at 07:30 PM

BM

So I am not sure how long I've known Tom but it's as long as I've known Kate. Although I didn't know him well I can say he was a such a kind gentle soul and a wonderful family man. I'm so sorry and sad to hear of his passing He will be missed My deepest sympathy thoughts and prayers to his family and friends.

Barbara Ann McCarron - September 15, 2022 at 01:31 PM

NP

“ I grew up in Andover, Mass where I met Tom at my age of 14. He was great friend to my older David and to me. While in the Navy in Norfolk, VA Tom and my brother came down to visit. We had some great times together. Old Time Photos in Virginia Beach captured a great photo of the 3 of us in Chicago Era Gangster garb holding the infamous "Chicago Typewriters". Hope to be able to post that picture when I return home soon. Miss you Tom! God Speed my friend.

Nick Pathiakis - September 13, 2022 at 06:55 PM

DG

“ Donna Gregory lit a candle in memory of Thomas P. Hoyt



Donna Gregory - September 13, 2022 at 04:04 PM